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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDIP, PFOR, UK, LB

SUBJECT: UK TO LEAVE PHNOM PENH

1. UK EMBOFF CALLED DEPARTMENT MARCH 17 ON INSTRUCTION FROM LONDON TO INFORM US OF DECISION TO CLOSE UK EMBASSY IN PHNOM PENH TEMPORARILY. UK CHARGE WILL RESIDE SAIGON BUT VISIT PHNOM PENH AS FREQUENTLY AS POSSIBLE.

2. HMG ALSO REQUESTED ANY ASSISTANCE USG COULD PROVIDE BIA BACK-HAUL FLIGHTS NOT ONLY TO REMOVE STAFF TO SAIGON BUT PARTICULARLY SENSITIVE EQUIPMENT. CHARGE WILL CONTACT EMBASSY REGARDING THESE MATTERS.

3. IN RESPONSE, DEPTOFF EXPRESSED REGRETS AT BUT UNDERSTANDING OF DECISION. HE PROMISED FORWARD REQUEST FOR HELP TO PHNOM PENH WHERE ULTIMATE DECISION MUST BE MADE.

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4. DEPARTMENT HOPES THAT YOU WILL BE ABLE TO ASSIST AS
APPROPRIATE. ROBINSON

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